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Embassy recognized by Pediatric Association of Macedonia



On October 5th, the Pediatric Association of Macedonia presented an award to the U.S. Embassy in recognition of years of successful cooperation and special contributions that have helped to improve children's health in Macedonia. Lt. Col. Tarquinto, Chief of the Office of Defense Cooperation, accepted the award on behalf of the Embassy from Dr. A. Sajkovski, President of the Association. Recent highlights of cooperation include the renovation of the Pediatric Surgery Clinic Intensive Care Unit, and the donation of cold chain equipment used in immunization efforts across the country. The U.S. European

Command's Humanitarian Assistance Program provided over \$400,000 to accomplish these projects. The opening ceremony was attended by hundreds of pediatricians and medical staff from 12 European countries.